

BURN BAN



The Lummi Nation Natural Resource Department has declared a Burn Ban due to extreme fire danger caused by hot summer weather and low fuel moisture levels.

This Burn Ban covers all lands within the exterior boundaries of the Lummi Indian Reservation.

NO FIREWORKS NO LAND CLEARING and YARD DEBRIS BURNING ALL BURNING PERMITS ARE HEREBY SUSPENDED UNTIL THE BURN BAN IS LIFTED.

The ONLY EXCEPTIONS are cultural fires, recreational fires that do NOT exceed 3 feet in diameter and are built in an enclosure, and burning in a burn barrel with a wire mesh cover as per Lummi Nation Code of Laws Title 18.04.030. Material being burned must be firewood or charcoal. A substitue enclosure for beach fires may be an 8" deep pit surrounded by 4" high stone walls. The fire enclosure must be at least 20 feet from combustible materials.

Available water source (a charged garden hose or two (2) 5-gallon buckets of water shall be available to entinguish fires and burning shall be done only when calm or light winds do NOT exceed 7 MPH. All fires must be completely extinguished prior to leaving.

Approved residential burning permits are suspended and NO new burning permits will be issued at this time. Please contact Lummi Forestry at (360) 312-2325 and Lummi Nation Police at (360) 312-2274 to report violators during this time to ensure the safety of our community.

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This Burning Ban will be strictly enforced under Lummi Nation Code of Laws Title10.18.100 Fire Suppression Authority.

BURN BAN issued Effective 6AM FRIDAY, JULY 24, 2020 Until Further Notice

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